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Meier, et al.

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For: RADIO FREQUENCY LOCAL  
AREA NETWORK

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In re the above-identified patent application, which is a continuation application of pending parent application (Serial No. ~~08/238,180~~ <sup>08/395,555 TRF - 7/8/99</sup> filed May 4, 1994), filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.60, please enter the following second preliminary amendment. <sup>February 28, 1995</sup>

In the Claims:

Please add the following new claims 35-45:

--35. A communication network supporting wireless communication of messages, said communication network comprising:  
a first node having a wireless transceiver;  
a second node having a wireless transceiver;  
said first node wirelessly transmitting at periodic intervals to accommodate delivery of messages from said first node to said second node; and

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